



RULE-MAKING ORDER

CR-103 (June 2004)
(Implements RCW 34.05.360)

Agency: Department of Agriculture

☒ Permanent Rule
☐ Emergency Rule

Effective date of rule:

Permanent Rules

☒ 31 days after filing.
☐ Other (specify) _____ (If less than 31 days after filing, a specific finding under RCW 34.05.380(3) is required and should be stated below)

Effective date of rule:

Emergency Rules

☐ Immediately upon filing.
☐ Later (specify) _____

Any other findings required by other provisions of law as precondition to adoption or effectiveness of rule?

☐ Yes ☒ No If Yes, explain:

Purpose: The purpose of this rule making order is to repeal chapter 16-404 WAC (Standards for Summer Apples Marketed Within Washington) because it is outdated and no longer followed by industry. It has been supplanted by chapter 16-403 WAC and is, therefore, redundant. The repeal of chapter 16-404 WAC is a result of the department's ongoing rule review effort under Executive Order 97-02.

Citation of existing rules affected by this order:

Repealed: WAC 16-404-001 through WAC 16-404-070
Amended: None
Suspended: None

Statutory authority for adoption: Chapter 15.17 RCW and Chapter 34.05 RCW

Other authority :

PERMANENT RULE ONLY (Including Expedited Rule Making)

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 05-06-100 on March 2, 2005.

Describe any changes other than editing from proposed to adopted version: None

If a preliminary cost-benefit analysis was prepared under RCW 34.05.328, a final cost-benefit analysis is available by contacting:

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EMERGENCY RULE ONLY

Under RCW 34.05.350 the agency for good cause finds:

- ☐ That immediate adoption, amendment, or repeal of a rule is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare, and that observing the time requirements of notice and opportunity to comment upon adoption of a permanent rule would be contrary to the public interest.
- ☐ That state or federal law or federal rule or a federal deadline for state receipt of federal funds requires immediate adoption of a rule.

Reasons for this finding:

Date adopted: May 4, 2005

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REPEALER

The following chapter of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed:

WAC 16-404-001	Promulgation.
WAC 16-404-010	Definitions.
WAC 16-404-020	Grades--Washington extra fancy apples.
WAC 16-404-030	Grades--Washington summer fancy apples.
WAC 16-404-040	Grades--Color percentages.
WAC 16-404-050	Marking requirements.
WAC 16-404-060	Tray packs.
WAC 16-404-070	Exceptions.